

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

What is described is equipment (1) for acquiring and transmitting images and/or sounds, which is fitted inside a protective housing (2) consisting of a base plate (3) on which the said equipment (1) is fixed in such a way that it can rotate, and a cover (4) hinged on the edge of the said base plate (3), which, when it is made to rotate with respect to the base plate (3) and is laid on top of and parallel to the latter (3), contains the equipment (1) inside it, the cover (4) and the base plate (3) being connected together by connecting means which can be released by remote control, and elastic means being interposed between the base plate (3) and the cover (4) to cause a relative rotation between the cover (4) and the base plate (3) with an amplitude of at least 90 degrees, the weight of the equipment (1) combined with the base plate being greater than that of the cover (4).